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MEMORANDUM

FROM:

Don Hamera

TO:

Project File

Subject: Meeting on April 18, 2001 with IDNR Officials and Atlantic City Water Supply Officials regarding contamination in the Atlantic Municipal system.

IDNR officials present- Susan Dixon and Bob Drustrup.

Atlantic Water Supply officials present- Allen J. Bonderman, General Manager Jon Martens, Director Water operations

We met at the Atlantic, Ia municipal water utilities building in downtown Atlantic at 11:00 AM. I was briefed on the background history for the site and actions by local and state officials to date. The city of Atlantic is currently using one of their municipal wells as an interceptor well to keep solvent contamination from reaching other downgradient municipal wells. The IDNR is currently in the lead overseeing this effort. Previous investigations by EPA and IDNR has located a source area for this contamination.

I briefly explained how Superfund works and how we typically try to find PRPs to conduct the cleanup work. I indicated that EPA could potentially address this site under the removal program. I also instructed the IDNR officials that if they wish for EPA to take the lead to send a letter to my attention requesting this. Jon Martens will be the contact point for any potential EPA follow up.

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